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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

v.

DARREN COKER,

Plaintiff,

Defendant.

PRELIMINARY ORDER OF FORFEITURE

2:13-CR-087-APG-(CWH)

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF NEVADA

This Court finds that on September 4, 2013, defendant DARREN COKER pled guilty to Counts Four and Five of a Five-Count Criminal Indictment charging him in Count Four with Possession of a Controlled Substance with Intent to Distribute (Methamphetamine) in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and in Count Five with Felon in Possession of a Firearm, Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1). Criminal Indictment, ECF No. 1; Change of Plea Minutes, ECF No. 36; Plea Agreement, ECF No. 37.

This Court finds defendant DARREN COKER agreed to the forfeiture of the property set forth in the Plea Agreement and the Forfeiture Allegation of the Criminal Indictment. Criminal Indictment, ECF No. 1; Change of Plea Minutes, ECF No. 36; Plea Agreement, ECF No. 37.

This Court finds, pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(1) and (2), the United States of America has shown the requisite nexus between property set forth in the Plea Agreement and Forfeiture Allegation of the Criminal Indictment and the offense to which defendant DARREN COKER pled guilty.

The following assets are subject to forfeiture pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c):

- a. a Glock 9 millimeter pistol bearing serial number KMA101; and
- b. any and all ammunition ("property").

This Court finds the United States of America is now entitled to, and should, reduce the aforementioned property to the possession of the United States of America.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the United States of America should seize the aforementioned property.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED all right, title, and interest of DARREN COKER in the aforementioned property is forfeited and is vested in the United States of America and shall be safely held by the United States of America until further order of the Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED the United States of America shall publish for at least thirty (30) consecutive days on the official internet government forfeiture website, www.forfeiture.gov, notice of this Order, which shall describe the forfeited property, state the time under the applicable statute when a petition contesting the forfeiture must be filed, and state the name and contact information for the government attorney to be served with the petition, pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(6) and Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(n)(2).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED a petition, if any, must be filed with the Clerk of the Court, 333 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED a copy of the petition, if any, shall be served upon the Asset Forfeiture Attorney of the United States Attorney's Office at the following address at the time of filing:

Michael A. Humphreys Assistant United States Attorney Lloyd D. George United States Courthouse 333 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Suite 5000 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED the notice described herein need not be published in the event a Declaration of Forfeiture is issued by the appropriate agency following publication of notice of seizure and intent to administratively forfeit the above-described property.

DATED this 5th day of September 2013.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

PROOF OF SERVICE 1 I, Ray Southwick, Forfeiture Support Associates Paralegal, certify that the following 2 individuals were served with copies of the Preliminary Order of Forfeiture on September 5, 2013, by 3 the below identified method of service: 5 CM/ECF Rebecca A. Levy Federal Public Defender 6 411 E. Bonneville Ave. 7 Las Vegas, NV 89101 Rebecca_Levy@fd.org Attorney for Darren Coker 8 9 William H. Gamage Gamage & Gamage 5580 S. Fort Apache Ste. 110 Las Vegas, NV 89148 10 Askmyattorney@yahoo.com Attorney for Kelly Crews 11 12 13 /s/ Ray Southwick 14 Ray Southwick Forfeiture Support Associates Paralegal 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24

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